## SENATE BILL 2517

By Ketron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 5, relative to the offense of promoting prostitution.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-515, is amended by deleting subsection (c) and substituting instead the following:
  - (c) Promoting prostitution is punishable as trafficking for a commercial sex act under § 39-13-309 if the person being promoted:
    - (1) Is less than eighteen (18) years of age; or
    - (2) Has an intellectual disability as defined in § 33-1-101.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to offenses committed on and after that date.